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DIVISION OF
OIL, GAS & MINING

Re: ACT/019/016

Dear Ms. Driscoll:

I have today been provided a copy of your August 24, 1982 letter to M. Don Nelson, concerning reclamation on the Taylor Livestock Mine in Grand County, Utah.

In that letter you make reference to a purported agreement between the Division and myself, wherein I supposedly agreed to accomplish all state required reclamation and revegetation activities on the site, on or before September 30, 1982. This letter is meant to correct that statement. What I in fact stated was in response to your representation that M. Don Nelson and Dennis Ickes agreed to get the reclamation work done on the property. I stated that if Nelson and Ickes agreed to the state's reclamation program that my company would probably be doing the reclamation work.

However, I told you and Susan Linner at that same time that I would be out of state for awhile. You stated that you wanted the reclamation accomplished by September 30, 1982. I noted to you that I would have to contact Winecup Resources to determine their position. I made the comment to you that I would have to get permission from the state to reenter the property because Winecup Resources no longer occupied the property.

You told me that the state, through yourself, could not grant authority to reenter the property. I responded that if you could not give us the authority, that I could not cause the reclamation work to be done.

Further, I noted that Winecup Resources was not required by its lease with Taylor Livestock to do the reclamation work. I also said that I would get in contact with Don Nelson and Jerry

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Zabriskie after I returned from California to see what was agreed upon.

I hope that this clarifies the substance of the conversation which you referred to in your August 24th letter.

Yours Truly,



Ferno Dubray